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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: AART CH

SUBJECT: ART COLLECTION

FOR AMBASSADOR BRUCE FROM ARMSTRONG

REF: PEKING 527

1. WE AGREE WITH YOUR DECISION, AND WILL BE GLAD TO INFORM MUSEUM OF MODERN ART ALONG LINES YOU SUGGESTED. HOWEVER, IN VIEW OF DAVID ROCKEFELLER'S INITIAL INVOLVEMENT, WOULD YOU LIKE US TO INFORM HIM FIRST, AND PERHAPS ASK HIM TO LET THE MUSEUM KNOW OF YOUR DECISION?

2. MY INCLINATION IS TO USE THE THOUGHT IN PARA 1(B) REFTTEL, BUT ON STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL BASIS WITH REQUEST THAT THIS REASON NOT BE MENTIONED TO ARTISTS OR OTHERS.  
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